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A VISIT TO WARDEN YELL

Folsom Prison in Good Condition. Ukiah Guards Giving Good Satisfaction

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Being somewhat worn out with legislative night work, I took a run into the country last Saturday, together with my wife and family, and paid Warden Yell and wife a long promised visit. We surely had a most pleasant time and found the Warden and his estimable wife in the best of spirits and health. Everything was done to make our trip enjoyable. Mr. and Mrs. Yell have changed but little since leaving Ukiah 15 years ago. Mrs. Yell is a little stouter and has a few silvery hairs, while Archie wears no beard now and has lost just a little of his dark hair, but they seem just the same as in days gone by.

Warden Yell surely has the prison in excellent condition. When he took charge 14 months ago everything was in a demoralized condition, but it is different now. Many improvements have been made. Warden Yell has great executive ability, knows how to run an institution and is popular with the guards and all those who assist him, consequently there is absolute harmony. The employees idolize the Warden and vie with one another in doing those things that will uphold the administration. The institution has over 1000 prisoners, the worst kind. There is no wall, the only thing preventing the convicts from escaping being the armed guards. Under such circumstances "breaks" may be expected at any time. The usual method is for the "cons" to grab a free man and use him as a shield while going by the posts. Warden Yell had given orders for his guards to shoot when a "break" was attempted, regardless of the consequences to the free men. So when the "break" was attempted last December it ended disastrously for the "cons." Among the guards in whom the Warden has great confidence, is the Mendocino contingent, consisting of guards Frank White, Joe Burke, George Elledge, Walter Neil, Pete O'Neal, Bill Harris, Will Perry and Pete Cassabone. In the December "break," guards Harris and Elledge did slogan work all right. We had the pleasure of chatting with Frank White, Joe Burke, George Elledge, Bill Harris and Pete O'Neal. Pete is now driving the stage from Folsom to the prison. All the boys are getting along nicely and send regards to friends at home.

An effort was made in the Legislature to raise the salary of the guards to $75 per month, but the Governor wouldn't stand for it. The general appropriation bill carries an extra amount so the guards will get $60 per month after July. They have no soft snap, the job being worth all they get, and more too.

We returned Monday morning and now legislative work is attracting our attention. This is the time when bills with "bugs" in them are liable to slide thru.

We will adjourn Friday. Everyone will be glad to get home. The session has been a disagreeable one on account of the scandals. From a personal standpoint I have nothing to complain of. Since last week the Governor has signed three more of my bills, and two more have passed the Assembly. I expect by Friday that I will have some three or four more bills before the Governor. The bill relating to Superior Court Commissioners may meet with a veto on account of some errors that inadvertently crept into the bill by amendments. The bill appropriating $4500 for fencing and improving the grounds at the asylum has gone to the Governor. The $4500 appropriation for digging artesian wells was defeated in the Assembly. Taking it all in all Mendocino county has fared well and I am satisfied to return home and work for myself awhile.

J. B. S.

High School Notes

The athletes of the Junior-Freshmen Classes downed the Senior-Sophomores on the U. H. S. track last Saturday by a score of 71 to 62.

The day was warm and pleasant, consequently a good many of the town folk came out to see the young heroes strive for supremacy.

Kirk Ford, the mighty, broke all previous U. H. S. records on the shot put. He hurled the iron ball 48 feet 11 inches.

In Wesley Rawles, the School Track Captain, Ukiah seems to have a second Henley. Rawles made a jump of 21 feet 2½ inches, beating by nearly one foot, the inter-class record made by him two weeks ago.

The Junior-Freshmen Relay Team made the fastest time for the mile relay that has ever been made on the High School Track. The performers in this event were (order in which they ran): McGimsey, H. Fallas, Pemberton, Ruddick, Woodward and Henley. A summary of the events is as follows:

50-yard dash—Perkins '05 won, Rawles '05 second, McGimsey '08 third. Time 5½ seconds. (New school record.)

100-yard dash—Rawles '05 won, Woodward '06 second, H. Fallas '06 third. Time 10 3-5 seconds.

220-yard dash—Woodward '06 won, Henley '06 second, Ford '05 third. Time 24 4-5 seconds.

440-yard dash—Wallach '07 won, Pemberton '06 second, R. Fallas '07 third. Time 56 3-5 seconds.

880-yard run—Wallach '07 won, Spaulding '06 second, Dillingham '05 third. Time 2 minutes 14 4-5 seconds.

Mile run—Spaulding '06 won, Dillingham '05 second, Tindall '06 third. Time 5 minutes 11 seconds.

90-yard hurdle—Carpenter '06 won, Ruddick '08 second, McGimsey '08 third. Time 13 1-5 seconds.

160-yard low hurdle—Rawles '05 won, Ruddick '08 second, Bradley '06 third. Time 19 1-5 seconds.

Mile relay—1906-08 Team won, 1905-07 second. Time 3 minutes 33 2-5 seconds.

High jump—Carpenter '06, McGimsey '08, Pemberton '06. All tied for first. Height 4 feet 11 inches.

Pole vault—Henley '06, Ruddick '08, Tindall '06. All tied for first. Height 6 feet 6 inches.

Broad jump—Rawles '05 won, H Fallas '06 second, Perkins '05 third. Distance 21 feet 2½ inches.

Shot put—Ford '05 won, McCowen '05 second, Hildreth '08 third. Distance 48 feet 11 inches.

Hammer throw—Cleland '07 won, Ford '05 second, Hildreth '08 third. Distance 128 feet 5 inches.

Exhibition 220-yard dash—Won by Almon E. Roth. Time 24 seconds.

FRESHMEN'S PARTY.

Last Saturday evening the Freshmen class held a party at Joe Snell's, and all report having had a good time. The following program was rendered:

Address.... Edgar Dutton, President of the class
Recitation.... Fay Curtis
" .... Key Thompson
" .... Carroll Ruddock
" .... Earl Snell
" Joel Snell, Ex-President of the class
Address.... Alma Atkinson
Personal Remarks .... Winnie Atkinson

At the conclusion of the program various games were played. Supper was served at a late hour, to which all did ample justice.

Christian Church Notes

Quite a number of "Cradle Roll" babies were in the Bible school last Sunday.

Pastor Rose, of North Yakima, Wash., writes under date of Feb. 21: "Updike began here Feb. 12. Thirty-five added first eight days. Used opera house last night; 1000 people heard great sermon on the resurrection of Jesus. Many turned away for want of room. Town is becoming deeply stirred by his powerful preaching." Mr. Updike will come here from Washington.

Ladies

See the fine display of handkerchiefs at Eversole's store, left over from the recent patriotic entertainment.

For Sale

From one to 12 fresh milk cows for sale. ROBERT CHIPPS,
mc10-4t* Calpella.

LOCAL NEWS EPITOMIZED

Comings, Goings and Doings of Mendocino's Gay Metropolis.

Born, in Ukiah, Saturday, March 4th, to the wife of Pat Connolly, a son.

The Elder school opens Monday with J. S. Hunter of Gravelly valley as teacher.

The Ukiah Business College is now installed in its new quarters in the Eversole block.

Another consignment of hogs was shipped to San Francisco last week by Edwards Bros.

Mrs. Millie Plummer has been granted an interlocutory divorce decree from C. B. Plummer.

Last Monday was the warmest day of the season, the mercury reaching 85 degrees on that day.

District Attorney Duncan has rented the Templeton cottage on Perkins street and taken possession.

The Ukiah Mercantile Company shipped a consignment of wall paper to Monticello, Napa county, this week.

C. H. Kent will build a five-room house on his lot near James Stitt's residence. George David has the contract.

Luther Burbank, the "Wizard of Horticulture," celebrated his 56th birthday last Monday at his home at Sebastopol.

Tom Garner and Dolly Edwards will supply the meat to the men employed on the Eel River Power and Irrigation Co.'s work.

The Ukiah Mercantile Company has secured the services of Julius Roller, who will hereafter devote his time to that firm's interests.

A bill raising the fees of jurors from $2 to $3 per day has passed both houses of the Legislature and has gone to the Governor for approval.

Levi Davis, a California pioneer, and the man who first introduced carp into California, died at his home at Forestville, Sonoma county, last Sunday.

Miss Mable Busch has accepted a position with the Ukiah Guarantee & Abstract Co., taking the place of Miss Madge Price, who expects to go to San Francisco.

Chas. Biggers, of Round Valley, has been brot to Ukiah for medical treatment. He is suffering from some sort of nervous disorder and is in a very bad condition.

A party of Japs passed thru Ukiah Wednesday on their way north. It is reported that they are to enter the employ of the Eel River Power and Irrigation company.

The old Ukiah House is again reopened as a second-class boarding and lodging house. The house has been thoroughly renovated and the the rooms well furnished.

Ed. Smith will act as bookkeeper and time-keeper for the Eel River Power & Irrigation Co. this summer and will move his family to Potter valley to be near his work.

Dan Kelly was sentenced to six years in San Quentin by Judge White on Saturday. He was given four years on the burglary charge and two years for embezzlement.

The lenten season commenced last Wednesday. No marriages will take place in the Episcopal or Catholic churches until Easter Sunday, except by special dispensation, which is rare.

A new postoffice has been established near Greenwood, in this county, named Salsig. It is named after Mr. Salsig, the popular superintendent of the White Lumber company at Elk.

Messrs. Lassell and Wakefield, new arrivals in Ukiah, have bot the Wurtenberg oil well rig and will try for artesian water. They expect to bore two wells for W. A. Douglas and one for T. W. Cox.

The first freight train over the Petaluma and Santa Rosa electric road arrived in the last named city on Saturday morning. The train was hauled by motor No. 66 and consisted of a number of empty cars which were loaded with hops that afternoon and shipped.

The work of remodeling the interior of C. Hofman's Cash Store is in progress this week. The show windows and other parts of the store are to be made up-to-date in every particular, and as the work is being done under the supervision of Manager Frank, it will be about right.

The Legislature adjourns today and Senator Sanford goes to Amador, Calaveras and Alameda counties on an extended visit to the Courts of Ancient Forestry there. He will return to Ukiah about the 20th. Mrs. Sanford and son and Miss Espa Hughes are expected home in a few days.

The American Hop and Barley Co. of Round valley, has contracted with Will Gust and George Bauer to care for 200 acres of hops and with James Halley for 100 acres more, at $16 per acre, according to the Covelo Review. The hop company will expend over $40,000 for labor alone before the season is over.

M. W. Stockdale died at the Ukiah asylum last week. He was a resident of Petaluma and had been an inmate of the asylum for about a week. Stockdale was a Spanish war veteran, having been a lieutenant of Co. C, Eighth Regiment, Volunteers. He was 35 years old and leaves a brother and sister.

Mrs. Ira P. Smith, wife of the superintendent of the Pacific Lumber company at Scotia, was struck by an electric car at Los Angeles one day last week and instantly killed. Mrs. Smith wished to board a northbound car, but got onto the southbound track. Two cars were approaching from opposite directions and she lost her presence of mind. One car struck her and tossed her in front of the other. She was horribly mangled.

Roadmaster Barrows of the California Northwestern Railway, was up from Santa Rosa on a tour of inspection Monday. Recently Mr. Barrows has had three additional sections added to his district, but as yet he has not had time to give them an inspection. The new sections were given into his keeping on the first day of the present month. The new territory given to Mr. Barrows includes Petaluma, and as far south as Burdells, and also the tracks and roadbed of the Donahue branch.

Large quantities of machinery is arriving nearly every day now for the Eel River Power and Irrigation company. On Saturday last two large steam boilers and an air pump arrived and all were loaded on wagons and sent to the scene of operations. These boilers are to furnish power for the Burleigh drills, two of which will be in operation at each end of the tunnel. The tunnel is to be six feet wide and six feet high. Work has already commenced and will be carried on as expeditiously as conditions will permit.

Tom Whelan, a deputy sheriff of San Francisco, met with an accident Monday while driving on the road between this city and the local asylum. Mr. Whelan had brot an insane patient up from the Bay City and was taking him to the institution across the river. When about a mile from town they met an automobile, which frightened the horse, and the surrey and its occupants were thrown into a ditch by the roadside. Mr. Whelan received a cut in the head and three stitches had to be taken. The other occupants were not injured.

RECLAMATION BILL GOES TO GOVERNOR

Senate Bill Providing for Levy of 5 Cents Per Acre in Drainage Districts

[Examiner, March 3.]

Among the bills passed today by the Assembly was Sanford's Senate bill 797—an act to provide for the formation of levee districts in the various counties of this State, to provide for the erection of levees, dikes and other works for the purpose of protecting the lands within such districts from overflow and to levy an assessment of 5 cents per acre in drainage districts to erect and construct and maintain such levees, dikes, etc., and to pay the necessary costs and expenses of maintaining said district.

The law now permits such work along the banks of unnavigable streams, but does not permit it along navigable streams outside of reclamation districts. This bill of Sanford's cures that defect and will be of great interest to the people of Colusa and Glenn counties and the upper Sacramento.

Reunion

A family reunion was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Luce, near Ukiah, Sunday, March 5th, 1905. On account of the serious illness of their mother the children were called home, viz: C. H. Viles of Snohomish., Wash.; Mrs. D. B. Boulware, of Woodland, Cal.; Mrs. L. Jamison and daughter of Mendocino City, Cal.; Mrs. B. D. Luce and son of Yreka, Cal.; Mrs. A. Hedsley and two children of Willits, Cal.; Mrs. B. Norris of Laytonville, Cal., and Marvin Luce and family Ukiah, Cal. Also her nephews, A. C. Willard, formerly of Washington, D. C., at present teacher in chemical department of Mechanical School of Arts, San Francisco, Cal.; E. C. Metcalf and family Ukiah, Cal., and C. N. Luce Ukiah, Cal. A granddaughter, Mrs. A. B. McClure, with her son Master Darrel, made up the four generations. The two brothers of Mr. Luce were also present with their families: Mr. Geo. Luce and wife, Mr. Joseph Luce, wife and daughters—Miss Mable, Mrs. Bertha Emery and her daughter Grace. Since the above event we are glad to say that Mrs. Luce is steadily improving.

Game Preserves

Senator Sanford's bill for the establishment of game preserves has passed the Assembly by a vote of 52 to 6, and is now up to the Governor for approval. The Senator has had splendid success, passing 15 bills and one constitutional amendment. Twelve of the bills have been placed before the Governor. The Governor approved three of these bills last Monday, all of which related to reclamation districts and are of special interest to Glenn and Colusa counties.

Hop News

The Santa Rosa Republican of Saturday last contains the following:

The following telegraphic information was received here late yesterday afternoon:

"Krebs Bros. in today's Oregonian, offer twenty-seven cents for three thousand choice Oregons, no takers. Isaac Pincus & Son."

The news concerning this big offer was quickly spread around among the hop men, who discussed it eagerly. It was evident to the growers of Sonoma county that they had been justified up to date in refusing to part with their holdings. Some of the hop men here make the prediction that hops are liable to go to 40 cents before this year's crop becomes available.

Those on the inside of affairs in the hop market assert that the bulls and bears are having the greatest fight in the history of the business, with the odds apparently in favor of the bulls, because of the attitude of the growers with holdings.

Snow White a Success

One of the most appreciative audiences ever seen within the doors of the Ukiah Opera House, assembled last Friday night, the occasion being the production of the Opera Snow White by the class of Miss Louise Ames.

Miss Helen Westerman, as Snow White, was indeed very charming. Her delivery was good and the songs well rendered.

Elizabeth Moore sustained the part of the Queen excellently and her natural movements were well suited to the role.

Victor McGarvey made a gallant Prince, and Fred Neip as the Huntsman was well received.

The Dwarfs were very amusing and resembled the little old men in every detail.

The chorus of Forest Children was a rainbow of color and presented a very pleasing sight. The specialties given between each act were well rendered.

Miss Ames is deserving of great credit for the manner in which she trained the children.

The Sanford-Selvage Amendment

The Sanford-Selvage Constitutional Amendment relative to the length of legislative sessions and limiting the expense for employes and attaches passed the Senate Tuesday. The amendment is similar to the Sanford amendment that was submitted to the people at the last election. This proposed amendment gives the members of the Legislature a flat salary of $1000 per session and does not limit the length of the session. No bill is to be introduced after 40 days without the consent of three-fourths of the members. The expense for employes and attaches is limited to $500 per day for each house. According to the expense for useless attaches at this session the adoption of the amendment would save the State about $1000 per day.

Main Driving Belt Slashed

In consequence of some real or fancied grievance against the Albion Lumber Co., some miscreant maliciously cut the main driving belt in the mill one day last week, says the Mendocino Beacon. The company had an armed force of four men in the mill but with all their vigilance the edger belt was slashed the following night. Resentment at the action of the company in hiring Japs to work on the railroad and in the yards is supposed to have led up to the act.

Early Fishermen

Game Warden Ornbaun arrested two fishermen this week for casting too early in the season. U. N. Briggs was fined $20 for not waiting until the first of April, and a Jap paid $30 for having some speckled beauties in his possession.

The excellent program rendered at the Christian church on last Thursday evening was very much enjoyed by an unusually large and appreciative audience. Every number was well rendered. Those who so kindly assisted in making the entertainment a success have the sincere thanks of the entire church. The Ladies' Aid promises another good program for the first Thursday in May.

George Knight, the well-known attorney and Republican politician, visited his Long valley ranch the first of the week.

A FOUR LEGGED FAKIR.

The Holy Cow Was Presented With a Very Effective Petition.

Not all the fakirs of India are human beings. Holy cows and sacred monkeys have a fine share in the game and in some instances show rare cunning in taking advantage of the people's beliefs in their attributes.

At Haje Ka, on the Indus, there is a notably wily old sacred beast, whose long years of receiving worship, petting and pampering have developed some strange characteristics. This animal will leave the shore several times a day in the heated season and, wading far out into the stream, stand there and bawl until some one of the villagers comes out and laves her with water, the coolness caused by the evaporation seeming to gratify her greatly. She is extravagantly fond of choice plantains and will go into the bazaar and take only the very best.

A friend of the family was close by a shopkeeper's stand one day when a sacred bull wandered up and began to feed from the provisions displayed, with entire assurance of being within his rights. The shopkeeper approached him gently, saying:

"Forget not that I am a poor man, brother. Seest thou not those sweet delicacies before the place of the rich man across the way?"

The bull munched on.

"Full well I know thou art a holy man, and I give thee all thou takest, feeling my reward in heaven already bestowed; but, brother, I am a poor man, and this morning I gave a rupee to thy very holy brother of Ratonga (a stiff armed fakir of the region), and thou shouldest come in another moon."

A great hole was growing in the pile on the stand. The shopkeeper picked up a bamboo stick and blew his breath in the end of it, then again addressed the animal:

"Into this stick I have breathed a prayer that thou mayest remember how poor a man I am, O my brother, and I now present my humble petition." Whereupon he whacked the bull sharply over the nose, and the astounded animal galloped, bellowing, through the bazaar.—Metropolitan Magazine.

Oddities of the Human Body.

The two sides of a person's face are never alike. The eyes are out of line in two cases out of five, and one eye is stronger than the other in seven persons out of ten. The right ear is also, as a rule, higher than the left. Only one person in fifteen has perfect eyes, the largest percentage of defects prevailing among fair haired people. The smallest interval of sound can be better distinguished with one ear than with both. The nails of two fingers never grow with the same rapidity, that of the middle finger growing the fastest, while that of the thumb grows slowest. In fifty-four cases out of a hundred the left leg is shorter than the right. The bones of an average human male skeleton weigh twenty pounds, those of a woman are six pounds lighter.

It Happened to Be a Boomerang.

It was at Cambridge, and a Boston girl was trying not to overwhelm a breezy young woman from the west.

"Such a historic pile," she was saying, as she toyed lightly with her eyeglass, "and so very dear to me. Ninety-five years ago my great-grandfather was graduated from here. I suppose, Miss Fond du Lac, you don't take much interest in an institution like this?"

"Not much, to tell the truth, Miss Backbay. You see, I've been brought up on a Harvard diploma—one of my ancestors was an honor man in seventeen-fifty something—and I'm rather tired of it all."

Got Beyond That.

One of the principal stockholders in a promising gold mine was expatiating on its merits to a capitalist and prospective investor. He described the vein in which the miners were working, showed him specimens of the ore and backed up his statements with the written opinions of experts.

"Well," admitted the capitalist, "it looks as if it might be a good investment. As my old Uncle Hiram would say, it has 'p'ints.'"

"Pints?" exclaimed the stockholder, carried away perhaps by his overanxiety. "Why, sir, we're in quartz right now!"

Unhappy People Think.

It is the unhappy man who commonly sits down and thinks. The happy man gets up and does something—kills something if he is the traditional Englishman, makes love if he is the traditional Frenchman.—G. S. Street.

A Father's Jest.

Softleigh—When I—aw—awsked her fon her hand in mawriage her bwutal father thweatened to—aw—bwain me, doncher know. Miss Cutting—That's just like her father. He always was fond of a joke.—Chicago News.

A Close Student.

"He's fond of literature."

"Is he a close student?"

"I should say so. He never spends a penny he doesn't have to."—Cleveland

GOT THE THIEF.

Ruse by Which a Backwoods Parson Did the Business.

"The police here what they call the 'sweating' process, a means of forcing confessions and admissions from stubborn moral derelicts," said an old timer, "and some of these methods are ingenious, some of them cruel, while others are positively barbarous and have been frowned upon by the courts, as is evidenced in the doctrine which declares that formal confessions are of little or no value as evidence. I say this by way of prelude to a little story of a long time ago which will show that there are more ways than one of forcing a man to 'own up' to wrongdoing. As you probably know, the ax was at one time the most valuable implement around the place. It was in the time I have in mind, the time when southeastern Arkansas was a wilderness and when the earlier settlers first began to cast their lot in that rich and now prosperous part of the world. The ax meant much in those days. So when some fellow pilfered some other fellow's ax the question was of large moment for miles around.

"A man thus circumstanced and of the time complained that his ax had been stolen. There happened to be a preacher in the section who was looked upon as having extraordinary, almost supernatural powers, and whenever anything of this kind happened complaint was made to him. The theft of the ax was reported to the preacher. 'I'll find it for you,' he said to the distressed man of the woods.

"On a certain day when he had nearly every man within a radius of fifty miles around him he lined them up in a row and stepped back about thirty feet, just far enough to allow him a good eye sweep of the line. In a few words he related the case of the man who had lost the ax, dwelt on the importance of the ax, declaring it not only to be the industrial capital of the man who lost it, but the chief weapon with which he defended his home. 'Now, my friends, one of you men got that ax, and I know it,' he said. 'I have a rock in my hand,' he continued, 'and while I do not care to hurt any living human being, I am going to hit the man who got that ax.' And as he said this he swung a long bony arm over his head with violence and brought it around with force. Only one man dodged in the line of forty, and he was the guilty man. In a short while the ax was returned to its rightful owner, and the backwoods preacher was more popular than ever. Which little happening shows that there are refined and unrefined methods of 'sweating' men and making them 'own up' to their misdeeds."—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

An Abrupt Translation.

The small boy had been irritating his father with many vexatious questions about a psalm he was studying for Sunday school next day.

"Father, what does selah mean?" was the latest.

"Shut up!" said paterfamilias.

The boy said nothing, but in Sunday school the psalm was under discussion.

"Who knows what the word selah means?" asked the young superintendent.

The small boy's hands went up, and he was halfway out of his seat.

No one else raised a hand.

"Well?" said the superintendent.

"Shut up!" said the small boy. And seeing the look on the teacher's face added: "It is. I asked papa and he said 'shut up!'"

Why Wear Collars.

Probably not many people, including the wearers themselves, know the origin of the sailor's collar. Many years ago when Jack Tars wore their hair in pigtails, which they were in the habit of keeping very greasy, the backs of their coats used to get in a very dirty and untidy condition owing to coming in contact with the hair, consequently the order was given for a detachable and washable collar to be worn, so that they might look more tidy.—London Standard.

Forget Once In Awhile.

The health of the body as well as of the mind depends upon forgetting. To let the memory of a wrong, of angry words, of petty meanness, linger and rankle in your memory will not only dissipate your mental energy, but it will react upon the body. The secretions will be diminished, digestion impaired, sleep disturbed and the general health suffer in consequence. Forgetting is a splendid mental callisthenic and a good medicine for the body.

A Notable Deficiency.

The Professor—Of course in many respects the ancients were far behind us in civilization. His Wife—Yes. Now, I never heard you say that anybody had discovered the ruins of an ancient retail dry goods store.—Brooklyn Life.

TRAIL OF THE JAGUAR.

His Method of Killing Animals and Catching Fish.

The trails of the jaguar are many, but they nearly all lead to a river, for water appears to be more needful to the tiger than to any other of the cat family. And this is not that he actually drinks more, so far as I can learn, but rather because along the waterways he finds an easy and abundant food in the river hog, in the small deer that come down to drink and in the fish that swim plentifully in all these streams.

In the Rio de la Plata, just off Buenos Ayres, is an island where at one time a number of jaguars lived and thrived practically on the fish they caught, for there was nothing else on the island, and no one ever heard of their visiting the mainland because of its settlement and not on account of the distance to shore, for the tiger is a strong, bold swimmer and minds no river of South America, not the widest, if he wishes to reach the opposite bank. He is a patient, unerring fisherman, watching for long periods from some vantage point, which may be either a fallen tree trunk extending into the stream or at the bank's edge, until a victim appears, when with a lightning blow he hurls the fish out on to the bank or clutches it as it swims past.

While the swampy jungle and the water courses are his habitat, yet the jaguar will make incursions upon dry ground if cattle or horses or dogs or poultry offer and river food happens to be scarce or for the time being more difficult to secure. I heard several trustworthy accounts of cattle and colts killed by the jaguar, though his ravages are not so frequent as once they were owing to his further inland habitat. His method of killing animals of this size is literally to stalk them up wind, that no scent may reach the victim, and then to spring on their back, fastening teeth and claws in the neck. With smaller animals the jaguar springs for the neck at once and appears to prefer the hind quarters to the stomach, which is left for the vultures that are omnipresent in the open country.

The jaguar is a noisier animal than any other of the feline family, particularly at night, and roams the jungle disdainful of lesser beasts in his manifest superiority. And he is without doubt absolute king of the South American forest. There is literally none to dispute his domain, none even worthy to do him homage, for the puma, which is fairly plentiful, has as little the courage of his convictions in South as in North America.—Outing.

PANAMA HATS.

They Are Made From the Undeveloped Leaves of the Bombonaje.

The panama is a leaf hat made in Colombia, Ecuador and Peru from the undeveloped leaf of the "bombonaje," which is a screw pine rather than a palm. The trunk of the plant is only a yard in height, but the leaf stalks are two yards long.

The leaf before it has opened is prepared for the manufacture of hats. It then consists of a bundle of plaits about two feet long and an inch in diameter called a "cogollo." The green outside is stripped off, and by means of a forked instrument it is cut into narrow strips of uniform size.

The cogollo is next boiled to toughen the fiber and hung in the sun to dry and bleach, when the strips shrivel into cordlike strands ready for use. It takes sixteen cogollos for an ordinary hat and twenty-four for the finest, and a single hat is plaited in from four days to as many months, according to its texture and quality.—Mexican Herald.

A Place of Great Heat.

The largest of the Aval islands, which are scattered over a considerable area in the Persian gulf, is said to be earth's hottest place. The mean temperature of Bahrein, as it is called, is 99 degrees for the whole year. No European can endure the heat, which at midnight rises to 100, in the morning is 107 or 108 and by 3 in the afternoon reaches the phenomenal height of 140 degrees. The island is inhabited by Arabs. The following high temperatures are also experienced at the places named: Parts of Algeria, 127 degrees; Agra, 117 degrees, and Lahore, 107 degrees.

The Joke Turned.

Quiet Traveling Man—Call me at 5:30, please. Smart Hotel Clerk—What shall I call you at 5:30? Quiet Traveling Man—Call me a poor, misguided idiot for letting myself get roped in to stay all night here'—Baltimore American.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR

Stops the COUGH and Heals the LUNGS CONTAINS NO OPIATES

HOFFMAN PHARMACY, E. B. Gibson, Prop.

Remodeling Windows And Store Interior

Has prevented display of SPRING GOODS but we have an

IMMENSE STOCK

All ready to show and it is moving fast. Come early for choice selections in

Dress Goods

Waists

Hats

Shoes

Clothing

Fancy Articles

C. HOFMAN'S CASH STORE

MENDOCINO COUNTY IN BRIEF

NEWSY NOTES FROM OUR CORRESPONDENTS

Hopland

HOPLAND, March 6th.–Jack Hughes and wife, of Oakland, are visiting Mrs. Hughes' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dooley.

Mrs. Hagmann, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. F. W. Dooley, has returned to her home in Gilroy.

T. E. Armstrong paid a business visit to the county seat Monday night.

There was a social dance at the home of Nick Duarte Saturday night last. Quite a number were in attendance from this place and all report a splendid time.

Dave Dondero, of Lakeport, paid Hopland a visir Sunday last.

Gene Parr has sold his property near Hopland and will leave shortly for Visalia with his family, where he will make his future home. Mr. Parr is interested in the transfer business in the above named city.

Chas. Bennett, of Ukiah, paid our town a visit Sunday.

Mrs. E. J. Duncan is reported very sick.

Miss Tassie Dutton is visiting her home in Petaluma. Miss Eva Dooley is attending to Miss Tassie's duties at the Thatcher hotel during her absenee.

Mrs. J. W. Andrews, of Santa Rosa, formerly of Hopland, is visiting friends and relatives at this place.

Sam Duncan, formerly Supervisor from this district, has bot the Gene Parr place below town and will once more make his home with us.

Wm. McGimsey has purchased the house and piece of ground owned by Gilger & Richardson and will soon be a citizen of the city of hops.

Jake Richardson, the former Hopland meat man, left Monday morning for San Francisco and from there to Goldfields to make his everlasting fortune.

The Hopland Baseball club has organized and will soon be ready to cross bats with anything on the pike.

Robert Duncan and wife, of Ukiah, visited the old home near Hopland last Sunday.

Some of the boys absorbed an overdose of "sheep dip" last Sunday and proceeded to tint the village a deep crimson. A few of them placed themselves in a condition where it was a difficult matter for them to hit the ground with their hats. They fondled each other around according to Marquis of Geesberry rules and spent all day Monday trying to find out who struck Billy Patterson.

(With apologies to Kipling)

Thirteen gentlemen, each with a jag,
Even as you and I,
They stood on the corner and chewed the rag,
Even as you and I;
They marched from Dooley's to Buckman's shop
And fell into "Banks'es" before they could stop
Absorbing all kinds of unclassified slop,
Even as you and I.

Thirteen gentlemen wanted to fight,
Even as you and I,
And when they had finished the bunch was a sight,
Even as you and I;
They mixed it, regardless of friends or foes,
When a head came in sight, why, they yelled, "here goes,"
But, generally landed on somebody's nose,
Even as you and I.

A constable, brave, from the other side,
Even as you and I,
Rolled up his pants and stepped into the tide,
Even as you and I.
Somebody showed him a Japanese trick—
Uncrossed his suspenders, before he could kick;
He hobbled back home with the aid of a stick,
Even as you and I.

They put one scrapper in durance vile
Even as you and I,
But he didn't stay there but a little while
Even as you and I;
Understand, he was uncommonly stout—
He twisted the furniture round and about;
They got a tin bucket and bailed him out,
Even as you and I.

Thirteen gentlemen, sober next day,
Even as you and,
Stand on the corner, with little to say,
Even as you and I,
Woe is the mortal who monkeys with booze,
Woe in the sinner who cannot refuse
A black eye to win and the whole world to lose.
Even as you and I.

Willits

WILLITS, March 8.—Ves Palmer, the well-known vaquero, has turned his attention to mining. He is now developing a copper mine in Eden valley.

Carl Purdy has of late been engaged in supervising the laying out of a lawn and orchard for Mr. Henshaw in Eden valley.

W. A. Roberts made his debut in nne style last week as editor and manager of the Willits News and had the paper full of local happenings.

A young man named A. Neilson who has been employed in the Diamond D. mill was caught in the shafting Friday and killed. His body was horribly mangled. His right arm was pulled from the body and his head crushed. An inquest was held and the verdict was death was due to his own carelessness.

Dr. Kennedy successfully removed a 12-year old tumor from the neck of Thomas Brayden, a merchant of this place, last Friday.

CURED HEMORRHAGES OF THE LUNGS

"Several years since my lungs were so badly affected that I had many hemorrhages," writes A. M. Ake, of Wood, Ind. "I took treatment with several physicians without any benefit. I then started to take Foley's Honey and Tar, and my lungs are now as sound as a bullet. I recommend it in advanced stages of lung trouble." Foley's Honey and Tar stops the cough and heals the lungs, and prevents serious results from a cold. Refuse substitutes. For sale by E. B. Gibson.

Covelo

COVELO, March 6.—A. G. Hunter is now the gardener at the reservation. He began his duties last Monday.

It is rumored that a gentleman by the name of Thompson, from Chico, is conducting negotiations for the purchase of the Knightlinger & Henley sawmill at Hull's valley.

At a special meeting of the Covelo Chamber of Commerce last week Chas. Hurt, John Rohrbough, Horace I. Johnson, Con. H. Goldberg and A. E. McCombs were appointed a committee to investigate the drainage problem and report at a special meeting that will be called for that purpose.

FOR AM IMPAIRED APPETITE

Loss of appetite always results from faulty digestion. All that is needed is a few doses oi Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. They will invigorate the stomach, strengthen the digestion and give you an appetite like a wolf. These tablets also act as a gentle laxative. For sale by J. R. Mathews' Pharmacy.

Redwood shingles are still forging ahead. The architects and builders of the East are making many inquiries in regard to the shingles, and while the January shipments were extra large, February fell off a little owing to the cold and inclement weather. There are but few green shingles on Humboldt bay, and it looks now as tho the opening of the Stockton drying yard will be delayed for some time or until the demand slacks up a little. Manufacturers are much pleased with the outlook and the year bids fair to be a banner one.—Wood and Iron.

Cancer and hemorrhoids or piles cured without the knife. Terms reasonable. Call on the undersigned at his residence on Clara avenue, opposite the ice plant, or address,

tf Z. G. YORK, Ukiah.

Rags wanted at THE DISPATCH office. Will pay cash or give old papers.

Mendocino

MENDOCINO, March 6.—At a recent meeting of the local fire company, Dr. Hodghead was reelected foreman, I. L. Dodge assistant foreman and Harold Gray secretary.

Rev. M. L. Goff and family arrived here a few days ago from San Francisco.

Miss Doyle, a trained nurse of San Francisco, is here on a visit to her brother, James Doyle.

Ruel Perkins was in Mendocino a few days ago and stated that Perkins' camp would start up next Monday.

The shake mill at Comptche has closed down for the present on account of a scarcity of bolts.

Fred Philipp, a recent arrival from Germany, but now a resident of Livermore, is here on a visit to his old friend, John Standacher.

STRIKES HIDDEN ROCKS

When your ship of health strikes the hidden rocks of consumption, pneumonia, etc', you are lost, if you don't get help from Dr. King,s New Discovery for Consumption. J. W. McKinnon, of Talladega Springs, Ala., writes: "I had been very ill with pneumonia, under the care of two doctors, but was getting no better when I began to take Dr. King's New Discovery. The first dose gave relief, and one bottle cured me." Sure cure for sore throat, bronchitis, coughs and colds. Guaranteed at J. R. Mathew's Pharmacy, price 50c and $1.00. Trial bottles free.

Point Arena

POINT ARENA, March 6.—The remains of Fred Boyle were brot here by the steamer Pomo and taken to his late home at Manchester. He was buried in the Catholic cemetery at that place. Court Arena, A. O. F., conducted the services and Broderick Parlor, N. S. G. W., was also represented.

Frank Watrous has gone to Colorado for the benefit of his health.

Dan Gregory has opened up a hospital at Greenwood.

The Native Sons will hold a banquet April 6th.

Fort Bragg

FORT BRAGG, March 6.—A. C. Mount and M. W. Place have bot J. H. Lindstrom's blacksmith business and hereafter will conduct the shop.

The Leiser building looks very neat since it has been painted.

Charlie Dahl's new building is looming up.

The New York furniture store has undergone a change in management, F. J. Smith disposing of his interest. G. H. Smith is now the new manager.

CHAMPION LINIMENT FOR RHEUMATISM.

Chas. Drake, a mail carrier at Chapinville, Conn., says: "Chamberlain's Fain Balm is the champion of all liniments. The past year I was troubled a great deal with rheumatism in my shoulder. After trying several cures the storekeeper here recommended this remedy and it completely cured me." There is no use of anyone suffering from that painful ailment when this liniment can be obtained for a small sum. One application gives prompt relief and its continued use for a short time will produce a permanent cure. For sale by J. R. Mathews' Pharmacy.

Our certificates of title embrace an investigation of the law as applied to each particular case. Ukiah Guarantee Abstract and Title Co.

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TRANSFERS OF REAL ESTATE

As Recorded by the Ukiah Guarantee & Abstract Cmpany.

H P Terry to Chas S Middleton—160 acres in sec 28, t 19 n, r 15 w. $10.

Chas S Middleton to Chas N Felton—Se ¼ sec 29, t 19 n, r 16 w. $10.

James Watkins to Charles N Felton—Land in t 19 and 20 n of r 15 w. $10.

C August Weihe to James Watkins—All of sec 16, t 19 n, r 15 w. $1a.

A H Fleming to Chas N Felton—Se ¼ of sec 29, t 19 n, r 16 w. $10.

S G Buckbee to Chas N Felton—160 acres in t 20 n, r 17 w. $10.

C August Weihe to James Watkins—Lots 3 and 4 and e ½ of sw ¼, sec 19, t 20 n, r 15 w. $10.

Chas S Middleton to Chas N Felton—160 acres in t 19 n, r 15 w. $10.

T S Montgomesy to Chas N Felton—160 acres in t 18 n, r 15 w. $10.

E Gibson to S F Gray—22 acres in t 22 n, r 12 w. $10.

G H Berryhill et ux to Mrs Sarah Lee—Lot 12, blk 17, Fort Bragg. $550.

Mrs Lizzie A Jones to Walter Armstrong et ux—Lot 1, blk "K," Ukiah North Addition. $10.

H P Bowman to E P Bowman—200 acres in t 23 n, r 16 w. $10.

Mrs E Sartain to Geo McCowen—Lots 3 and 4, blk "D," Ukiah North Addition. $10.

C H Stout et ux to Mrs E Sartain—Lots 3 and 4, blk "D," Ukiah North Addn. $10.

Thomas McGough to Mary McGough—Land in t 14 n, r 14 w. $10,000.

H R Thomas et ux to Mrs C Blank—Lot 3, sec 6, t 18 n, r 17 w. $400.

Mrs Dorinda Capell to Mrs Martha May—Lots 11 and 12, blk 6, Daugherty's Addn Willits. $10.

Ellenora Gibson to J A Waldo—4 acres in Yokayo Rancho. $10.

E DeYoung et ux to H Nunn—40 acres in sec 26, t 15 n, r 15 w. $10.

H B Hickey to G G Wilcox—1637.43 acres in t 15 n, r 14 w, and t 14 n, r 15 w, and t 16 n, r 14 w. $10.

T F McGee to J D Rickens—Land in t 18 n, r 12 w. $500.

E Cleveland to R Singleton—Land in Yokayo Rancho. $10.

R E Dimmick to E Bartlett—Old Estes place in Ukiah City. $10.

J A Joyce to G Thorn—Lot 1, blk 2, Roach's Addn Willits. $10.

C August Weihe et ux to H B Hickey—1357.43 acres in t 14 n, r 15 w, t 15 n, r 14 w, and t 16 n, r 14 w. $10.

A H Bailey to Fred Reunand—Land in Yokayo Rancho. $10.

Union Lbr Co to H F Milliken—63 7-100 acres near Ft Bragg. $10.

Solomon Bare to H P Terry—160 acres in sec 28, t 19 n, r 15 w. $10.

David Gill to C D Gill—Lot in Westport. $10.

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Women are more often afflicted with kidney disorders than men, but attribute the symptoms to diseases peculiar to their sex, while in reality the kidneys are deranged. Nervousness, headache, puffy or dark circles under the eyes, pain in the back, are signs of kidney trouble that must not be ignored, or a serious malady will result. Foley's Kidney Cure has restored the health of thousands of weak, nervous, broken down women. It stops irregularities and strengthens the urinary organs. It purifies the blood and benefits the whole system. Sold by E. B. Gibson.

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Order to Show Cause Why Order of Sale of Real Estate Should Not be Made and Ordering Publication.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE COUNTY of Mendocino, State of California.

In the Matter of the Estate of Nina Davidson, Deceased,

Wm. A. Davidson, the Administrator of the Estate of Nina Davidson, Deceased, having filed his petition herein, duly verified, praying for an order of sale of all or some part of the real estate of said decedent, for the purposes therein set forth.

It is therefore ordered by the Judge of said Court, that all persons interested in the estate of said deceased appear before the said Superior Court on MONDAY, the 13th day of March, 1905, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, at the Courtroom of said Superior Court, in the County of Mendocino, State of California, to show cause why an order should not be granted to the said administrator to sell all or so much of the real estate of the said deceased as shall be necessary.

And that a copy of this order be published at least once a week, for four successive weeks, in the DISPATCH-DEMOCRAT, a newspaper printed and published in said Mendocino County.

Dated February 9th, A. D. 1905.

J. Q. WHITE,
Judge of the Superior Court.

J. W. PRESTON,
Attorney for Administrator.

Order to Show Cause.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE COUNTY of Mendocino, State of California.

In the Matter of the Estate of Gottfried Spycher, Deceased.

John Taylor, Administrator of the Estate of Gottfried Spycher, Deceased, having filed his petition herein praying for an order of sale of all the real estate of said decedent for the purposes therein set forth,

It is therefore ordered by this Court that all persons interested in the estate of said deceased appear before the said Superior Court on

Monday, the 20th day of March, 1905,

at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, at the Court room of said Superior Court, in Ukiah, Mendocino County, California, to show cause why an order should not be granted to the said administrator to sell all of the real estate belonging to the said estate at private sale, and that a copy of this order be published at least four successive weeks in the DISPATCH-DEMOCRAT, a newspaper printed and published in said Mendocino County.

Dated February 18th, 1905.

J. Q. WHITE,
Judge.

Thomas, Pemberton & Thomas,
Attorneys for Estate.

Constable's Sale

Notice of Sale of Real Estate Under Execution

E. S. WILLIAMS, Plaintiff,
vs.
J. D. JAMISON, Defendant.

By virtue of an execution issued out of the Justice's Court of Ukiah Township, County of Mendocino, of the State of California, wherein E. S. Williams was Plaintiff, and J. D. Jamison Defendant, upon a judgment rendered the — day of March, A. D. 1903, for the sum of One hundred and sixty Dollars, United States gold coin, besides costs and interest, I have this day levied upon all the right, title, claim, and interest of said Defendant, J. D. Jamison, of, in and to the following described real estate, to wit:

Situate, lying and being in the County of Mendocino, State of California, and described as an undivided ½ interest in Lots 2, 3, 5 and 6 of Sec. 1, in Twp. 17 N., R. 13 W., M. D. M., and Lot 6 of Sec. 36, in Twp. 18 N., R. 13 W., M. D. M.

Public notice is hereby given that I will, on the 11TH DAY of MARCH, A. D. 1905, at 10 o'clock a. m. of said day, in front of the Court House door of the County of Mendocino, at Ukiah, sell at public auction, for United States gold coin, all the right, title, claim and interest of said defendant, J. D. Jamison, of, in and to the above described property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to raise sufficient to satisfy said judgment, with interest and costs, etc., to the highest and best bidder.

Dated this 15th day of February, 1905.

T. S. LYNCH,
Constable of Ukiah Township.

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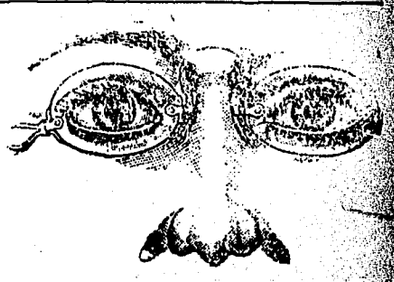

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This is the verdict of all the ladies of Ukiah and vicinity who have been here within the last week.

Never since we are in business have we received so many compliments about our goods as in the last week. Every woman who came into the store used almost the same expression, "the most handsome line that has ever been shown here," or "the finest line I have ever seen." The ladies not alone express their sentiments, but are backing them up by buying readily. It is not a question here, whether a woman likes this or that, it is only a question which she likes best. It is a choice lot of goods. Every line and every pattern is pretty.

To those from whom we have not had the pleasure of a call yet, we will say in justice to yourselves, as well as ourselves, call as early as you can; we want this grand stock of Dress Goods well distributed. The assortment is the largest we have ever carried, but the quantities are small, so as to avoid too many dresses alike, therefore the time to buy is now, while the assortment is complete, as the goods come direct from the mills and cannot be duplicated.

It is immaterial whether you want a dress at 5 cents a yard, or at 10c, 15c, 20c, 25c, 35c, 40c, 50c, 65c or 75c a yard. They are all beautiful.

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PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS

Many Short Items Concerning Some People You Know.

A. O. Barthold was here from Willits Sunday.

C. Bendeke was at the Cecille Monday from Willits.

Mrs. Cranz visited in San Francisco this week.

Ed Buchanan was over from Greenwood this week.

C. S. Dearborn, of Melburne, was in town Monday.

Premium and Early Rose seed potatoes at the W. M. Cox Co.

W. Christie and wife of Bartlett Springs, were in town Monday.

Robert Bucknell and wife were in Ukiah Friday from Upper Lake.

W. P. Thomas made a business trip to San Francisco this week.

For Rent—Mrs. C. E. Nutter's residence. Inquire of Mrs. E. J. Duncan.

L. Shoemake, a prominent rancher of Hopland, was in town this week.

J. H. Barker and wife left for San Francisco Tuesday for a few days visit.

Emil Holmberg was down from Philo Monday and registered at the Palace.

Dan and Wylie English and C. C. Lambert were in from Round valley Sunday.

Mrs. Baily returned from a visit to her sister in Sonoma county last Saturday.

Mrs. Nellie Gschwend and children, of Christine, visited in Petaluma this week.

R. E. Donohoe left for Cloverdale Tuesday to do some survey work in the citrus belt.

Carl Purdy was in town Tuesday from "The Terraces."

Supervisor D. H. Lawson arrived from Boonville Sunday and was a guest at the Cecille.

Miss Katherine Bartlett, of this city, visited at Geyserville last Saturday and Sunday.

Will Middleton, of Santa Rosa, was seen on our streets this week with his automobile.

W. A. S. Foster, manager of the Northwestern Redwood company, was down from Willits Monday.

Supervisors Lane, Fairbanks and Barnard arrived in town Sunday and registered at the Palace.

Frank Howe, the Upper Lake merchant, passed thru Ukiah yesterday on his way to San Francisco.

Al Kenworthy, of Willits, passed through this city Wednesday on his way to San Francisco with his pass key.

Lost—Plush buggy robe, red and black with white dog. M. V. L. in corner. Please leave at Eversole's store.

Frank Worters, J. B. Meyerstein, M. V. Long and W. F. Simpson were registered at the Cecille Monday from Willits.

I will preach at Redwood valley school house next Sunday at 3:30 p. m.

C. C. Thompson.

Don't forget that J. W. Eversole has moved into his new building north of the Palace Hotel. Telephone 162.

Ed. Porter visited in San Francisco this week. He also made a special visit to Emeryville to watch the ponies run.

Mrs. Marion Todd was up from Berkeley last week to attend the funeral of John F. Todd, but returned to the university city on Friday's noon train.

Edgar Durnan, the popular proprietor of Laurel Dell, was in town Sunday accompanied by Mrs. Durnan. A. Jourdain was also in the party. They were guests at the Cecille.

Butman & Rowe will hold their Spring Millinery opening on March 15th, 16th, 17th and 18th. Every lady calling at the store during the opening will be given a chance in a drawing for an elegant hat.

Wm. H. Bell, representing the Mergenthaler Linotype Co., was here Tuesday, from San Francisco. Mr. Bell had been over to Fort Bragg to investigate the affairs of the defunct Fort Bragg Mail.

Miss Gussie Hargis, who has been associated with Mrs. Williams in the millinery business on Powell street, San Francisco, has purchased Mrs. Williams' interest and is now sole proprietor. She has worked up a good business and will be pleased to have her Ukiah friends call, when in the city, and inspect her up-to-date goods.

THE COLONEL'S WATERLOO

Colonel John M. Fuller, of Honey Grove, Texas, nearly met his Waterloo, from liver and kidney trouble. In a recent letter, he says: "I was nearly dead, of these complaints, and, altho I tried my family doctor, he did me no good; so I got a 50c bottle of your great Electric Bitters, which cured me. I consider them the best medicine on earth, and thank God who gave you the knowledge to make them." Sold, and guaranteed to cure, dyspepsia, biliousness and kidney disease, by J. R. Mathews' Pharmacy, at 50c a bottle.

Dr. and Mrs. E. G. Case, who have been away on a three weeks trip, are home again. The Doctor, who was ailing previous to leaving Ukiah, returns in perfect health, which will be good news to his many friends.

We wish to inform the public that on March 15th will occur our Spring Opening. All are invited to call. Meyer's Building, South State Street, Ukiah, Cal.

Luce & Emery.

Superintendent F. W. Broback of the Ukiah Water company went to San Francisco Tuesday to purchase supplies for the company. "Bro" is surely a hustler and is making a good record as local manager for this company. As a collector he can't be beat.

Mrs. E. M. Barrett, the evangelist will begin special meetings at St. John's M. E. church Sunday, March 19th. Mrs. Barrett is a gifted speaker and a woman of rare excellence and ability. Don't fail to hear her.

An almost new Kingsbury cabinet grand piano is offered for sale at about $75 less than cost price. A genuine bargain for anyone desiring a good instrument. If interested send or write to this office for particulars.

INCREDIBLE BRUTALITY

It would have been incredible brutality if Chas. F. Lemberger, of Syracuse, N. Y., had not done the best he could for his suffering son. "My boy," he says, "cut a fearful gash over his eye, so I applied Bucklen's Arnica Salve, which quickly healed it and saved his eye." Good for burns and ulcers too. Only 25c at J. R. Mhewats' Pharmacy.

Fine Millinery

Mrs. S. S. McGarvey went down to San Francisco this week to purchase a fine stock of millinery goods. Mrs. McGarvey will have one of the most up-to-date trimmers this season, and a beautiful line of the latest style hats to select from. Watch for the opening ad.

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Notice of Sale of Real Estate.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF MENDOCINO County, State of California.

In the Matter of the Estate of Julia A. Harrison, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given, that, in pursuance of an order of the Superior Court of the County of Mendocino, State of California, made and given in the matter of the estate of Julia A. Harrison, deceased, on the 27th day of February, 1905, the undersigned, John Taylor, the administrator of the estate of Julia A. Harrison, deceased, will sell at private sale, to the highest bidder, for cash, lawful money of the United States, subject to confirmation of said Superior Court, and as a whole in one parcel, on or after

Monday, the 27th day of March, 1905,

at the Town of Ukiah City, Mendocino County, State of California, all the right, title, interest and estate of the said Julia A. Harrison, deceased, at the time of her death, and all the right, title, interest and estate that the estate has, by operation of law or otherwise, acquired since the death of said Julia A. Harrison, deceased, in and to the following described property situate in the County of Mendocino, State of California, and particularly described as follows:

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Deed at the expense of the purchaser, and any person offering to purchase whose offer shall be accepted by the undersigned, shall, on notice of the acceptance of said offer, deposit with the undersigned ten per cent of the purchase money and pay the balance on the approval and confirmation of said sale by said Superior Court.

No abstract or certificate of search will be furnished by administrator.

JOHN TAYLOR,
Administrator of the estate of Julia A. Harrison, deceased.

Dated this March 9th, 1905.

McNab & Hirsch,
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"Thrilling?" said the major. "Well, I should say so. It was the most exciting thing that ever occurred to me. Why, I can't even think of it now without shuddering a little. I was considerably younger in those days than I am now. At the time I was a telegraph operator and dispatcher for the Mountain Valley Railroad company in a western mining country. It was a wild and lawless country, and I was not much in love with my place; but, being poor, I was obliged to accept the conditions with the best possible grace.

"Goldton, where I was located, was really nothing more than a railroad station. It was not on the main line of the Mountain Valley railroad, but on a spur which ran to the Ingot mines. Travel was not very extensive—in fact, but one train a day passed my lonely station.

"On the fifteenth day of every month I received by express for the superintendent of the Ingot Mining company the money with which the miners were paid off. The amount averaged between $15,000 and $18,000. On the 14th of June in that year the superintendent of the mines came to me and said:

" 'Perkins, the pay money will be here tomorrow, as usual, but I want you to exercise more than ordinary vigilance in guarding it, as I understand Grizzly Bill is operating in the mountains again.'

"Grizzly Bill was a name to inspire terror. The individual who bore that unmusical sobriquet was an outlaw of great daring and resolution. He stopped at nothing. It was therefore quite natural for me to feel some little trepidation. I assured the superintendent, however, that I would do all in my power to guard the money, and I think," continued the major, with some self satisfaction, "that I kept my word in this respect.

"During the night which followed a violent rainstorm swept through the mountains. Shortly before 10 o'clock the next morning I received word over the wire that the train from Pikeville could not get to Goldton owing to a washout below Summit Rock. It was thought that the track could be made passable by afternoon and that the train would reach my station before 6 o'clock. I communicated these facts to the mine superintendent by means of an assistant who was always at the station during the day.

"At 5 o'clock that evening I received a message saying that it would be impossible for the train to get through before 9 or 10 o'clock the next morning. I sent word to this effect to the mine superintendent, who in turn communicated it to the men. Feeling rather tired, I turned in early that night. Sleep, however, was out of the question.

"The baggage, freight, express and telegraph offices were all under one roof. One corner of the big warehouse—it was hardly anything else—was partitioned off so as to make a private inclosure. This box-like compartment I used for sleeping, eating and the transaction of the company's telegraphic and railroad business. The sender and receiver were affixed to a table conveniently near my bed, and if necessary it was possible to transmit or take a message without even arising. Of course I never found it necessary to do this. I simply mention it to illustrate the arrangement of the office.

"Along toward midnight the telegraph instrument began to click. I heard my call, opened the key and asked what was wanted. The operator at Pikeville wired back that the train which had been delayed on account of the washout had started for Goldton and would reach there between 3 and 4 o'clock in the morning. At precisely 2:45 o'clock the train steamed into Goldton.

"The express messenger alighted and handed me a huge and many sealed package. It contained $17,500.

" 'Oh, that isn't all,' said the messenger, with a laugh. 'I have a box in the car that's as heavy as lead. We've been wondering all the way up the mountain what it contained.'

"The box was lifted from the car and placed on end in the freight department of the station. It was fully seven feet long and four feet wide—horribly suggestive of the rough box in which a coffin is inclosed. I thought of this after the train had resumed its journey. I put the pay money in the safe, turned the combination lock and retired. I fell into a doze, from which I was aroused with a start by what seemed to be the ticking of the sounder. It said as clear as if some one had spoken: 'Beware! Danger threatens.' I sat up in bed. The moon was shining brightly through the window. I gazed intently at the sounder. It made not the slightest motion, yet the message came again, this time even more startlingly distinct than before. What could it possibly mean? I thought that I was dreaming at first, but when the mysterious message was repeated for the third time I came to a different conclusion. I don't believe in spiritualism, yet I am at a loss now to ascribe that inexplicable communication to any other source.

"At any rate, upon hearing the third message my mind instantly reverted to the huge box in the freight corner. The partitioning of my little apartment did not extend as high as the roof, but merely to a distance of about five feet above the level of my bed, and by standing on the bed I could peer over the top and see all parts of the interior of the station. I rose stealthily to an erect position and looked over the edge of the partition. The first thing I saw was the box, standing on end near a window in the extreme end of the station, and as I looked I saw its top slowly rise and a man's head protrude itself.

"It was a thick, brutalized face, with grizzled whiskers. Instantly it flashed across my mind that it belonged to Grizzly Bill.

"The sight sent my heart into my throat with a bound, for I realized only too well that the outlaw would stop at nothing to get the money which he knew was in my possession. To him murder was child's play. But after the first emotion of fear I felt perfectly calm. In truth, I felt as though fate had thrown this desperado in my way so that I could conquer him. I don't know why I felt thus. Probably I experienced the same emotions that a soldier does who goes into battle with fear and trembling, yet who when actually in the midst of danger feels as cool and collected as though he were out of reach of all possibility of harm.

"I got out of bed, picked up the coal shovel and scuttle and made as much noise as possible. As the night had been an unusually cool one a fire was burning, and as I passed the stove I grabbed my revolver and thrust it into my right coat pocket. Into my left pocket I thrust some nails and a hammer. Then, whistling as loudly as possible to mislead the desperado in the box, I left the little office and walked across the floor of the freight part of the station. When immediately in front of the box I sprang at it with the fury of a man fighting for his life and overturned it. It fell to the floor, top up, with a resounding crash. Instantly I was astride the box driving nails into the lid as hard and fast as a man in terror for his life could do. And all that while I was yelling at the imprisoned outlaw at the top of my voice, telling him that if he so much as breathed I would instantly kill him.

"But my threats did not appear to frighten him much. From the interior of the box came a volley of muffled oaths that would have astonished a Digger Indian. I never heard such horrible profanity. I fired my pistol twice in the air to let him know that I meant business. After awhile he became quiet. I carefully examined the box and found that there was no danger of suffocating, for at the upper end were a number of tiny perforations which freely admitted air.

"I sat astride that box until my assistant arrived at 7 o'clock. It was a long and trying vigil, but the magnitude of my victory buoyed me up. My assistant was almost too much amazed to speak when I told him of my capture. He quickly went to the mines and told the superintendent to hasten at once with a sufficient guard of men to the station and take Grizzly Bill into custody. It didn't take long to do this, and when Bill was hauled by no gentle hands from the box he was the angriest outlaw ever captured. He fought like a tiger, but it was of no use. The men who had him captive knew how dangerous he was. He was securely bound and later in the day taken to Pikeville, where he was subsequently sentenced to a long term of imprisonment in an eastern penitentiary.

"That little adventure," concluded the major, "proved to be the turning point in my career. I was promoted to an important position in the city, where I prospered, as you see. I am today quite content with myself and the world in general. Thus, you see, Grizzly Bill's undoing was my making."—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

The First Act of a Tragedy.

You are sitting alone. Suddenly you instinctively feel a sensation of horror of some evil influence that is present, but as yet unseen. You lift your eyes. You behold, gliding over the carpet toward you without noise, apparently without the trouble of walking, a mouse. It stops. It fascinates you. You feel your blood freeze and your limbs slowly paralyze. Your heart stops beating. Your breath ceases. A cold chill creeps over you.—London Woman.

Democratic Opportunity

Mr. Bryan has announced thru the columns of his paper, The Commoner, that the principal cause of Democratic defeat this year was that the men who secured control of the party organization at St. Louis sounded a retreat when a charge should have been ordered all along the line. He insists that conditions demand radical action, and that the people want something definite upon which they can rely. The Commoner, he announces, will carry on a campaign of education, advocating tariff reform, the overthrow of private monopolies, labor legislation, municipal ownership of public utilities, public ownership of railroads and telegraph systems, an income tax, the election of federal judges by the people, the election of United States senators by popular vote, direct legislation, and the selection of postmasters by the people whom they are to serve.

It will be necessary to regain control of the party organization. To do this the friends of reform thruout the entire country must work together. A Democratic paper of national scope offers the best means for carrying on this work, and the Commoner occupies this field. The campaign of education and organization which Mr. Bryan announces will be carried on thru the Commoner regularly so as to keep in touch with the progress the reform forces are making, and to fortify himself with facts and arguments to convince his Republican neighbor that the Democratic party offers the surest relief from class legislation and trust domination.

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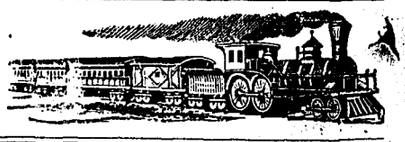

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5:50 am 1:30 pm	6:00 am 2:15 pm	Glen Ellen Sonoma and Intermediates	1:15pm 8:20p m	12:30pm 8:20 pm
5:50 am 1:30 pm	6:00 am 2:15 pm	Sebastopol and Intermediates	1:15pm 8:20PM	12:30pm 8:20PM
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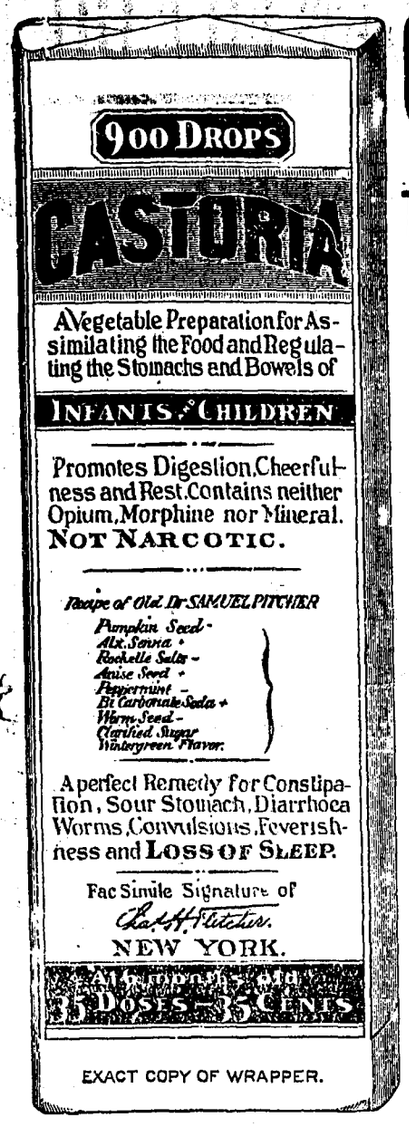

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SHIFTING RESPONSIBILITY.

Congressman Wintersmith of Kentucky is droll and imperturbable. He and Mrs. Wintersmith were walking in Pennsylvania avenue, Washington, one afternoon when a dandy little Frenchman who was directly in front of them slipped and fell. The tumble was a ludicrous one, and Mrs. Wintersmith laughed heartily. The little Frenchman picked himself up daintily and, with a flourish, handed the congressman a card. Dick looked at it thoughtfully and asked, "What's this for?" "Your laydee, sare," snorted the dandy. "She laughed at me. I demand ze sateesfaczione." Mr. Wintersmith handed back the card, saying: "The lady is no blood relation of mine. Tell you what you do. You hunt up her brother and kill him. Good day."

Filipino English.

Specimen of a Filipino's letter to his employer as an excuse for his failure to attend to his duty at the appointed time:

"Dear Sir—Excuse I am shame very much to you this morning for my promise this noon. Would like Monday morning 8 o'clock I will be on the office Your Sir," etc.

Another one:

"Mr. Mackenzie—I am very sorry that I could not go in our office because I am very ill from Sunday night untell now, so you give me big excuse. Very truly your boy," etc.

The latter is not at all bad and compares favorably with the Tagalog language as written by the average American.—Manila Sun.

A Canadian Priest's Joke.

One of the most popular priests in Canada is Father O'Gorman of Gananogue, on the banks of the St. Lawrence. His reverence is a keen judge of horses and dogs, never failing to have at least one Irish setter at every bench show in New York city. At the recent exhibition there his entry won the first prize, on hearing which a friend said to him, "I suppose they will make you a bishop now." Father O'Gorman, who is not at all averse to a joke on himself, answered readily, "My dear sir, if I knew as much about theology as I do about Irish setters I'd be a cardinal this minute."—Argonaut.

Queen Amelia's Daring.

An incident which adds to Queen Amelia of Portugal's reputation as a daring horsewoman is told by the Woman's Journal. "Recently she took part in the Portuguese army maneuvers near the Spanish frontier. One day her regiment was ordered to cross a deep stream over a bridge which proved to be rotten. It broke, and the regiment rushed about, puzzled as to what to do. At this moment Queen Amelia, spurring her horse, galloped into the stream and led them all across, with the water up to the saddles."

The Tax Dodgers.

Judging from income tax statistics, millionaires are scarce in Berlin, especially when the assessors are making their annual visits. Only one person in the German capital is taxed on an income of $750,000, while only three are rated as having incomes as high as $500,000 and only nine between $250,000 and $500,000. However, in Berlin, as in New York and other cities, it is a generally known fact that property is liable to a severe shrinkage when the assessor is abroad.—New York Tribune.

An Arizona Champion.

The Tombstone Epitaph is confident that Arizona is bound to have a front seat in all the world competitions. "Last Friday," it says, "Clay McGonagil at the steer tying tournament at El Paso roped and tied his steer in twenty-eight seconds flat. Our Arizona cowboys, like all other Arizona institutions, are strictly in the lead. They may not have that quality of stove polish on them that distinguishes eastern society, but they simply have the 'stuff' in them to 'get there.'"

A Shock to England.

An English educational society which declares that people ought to live in and use their "front rooms" has created a sensation. The London Express remarks, "Such a reckless suggestion is calculated to undermine the very foundations of lower middle class home life in this country," the front room being sacred to "company" over there. Next thing it will be suggested that the Britishers wear their "best clothes" every day.

A Lucky Find.

Albert Winter, an Englishman working in the mines in New Zealand, was returning home from work two months ago and picked up a stone to throw at a bird. Something in the stone attracted his attention, and on closer examination he found it to be gold. He at once staked out a claim for the spot and has just sold it for $500,000.

HIS COLLECTION OF ORCHIDS.

One of the stories John Burroughs, the aged naturalist, loves to tell has to do with a friend of his named Orr. On one of his trips Mr. Burroughs happened to be in the town where Mr. Orr lives. Meeting him in the street, Mr. Burroughs insisted that his friend should accompany him to the hotel for luncheon. As they were eating Mr. Burroughs inquired if his friend was not interested in any specialty.

"I think," said the naturalist, "every man ought to have a collection of some kind. It adds zest to life."

"Oh, yes," said his friend, "I have quite a collection. I am interested in flowers. Come home with me, and I'll show them to you."

As they approached the Orr home six fine, healthy children, playing on the lawn, ran to meet their father.

"These," said Mr. Orr, with a twinkle in his eye, "form my collection of orchids. Ain't they grand specimens?"

Modernization of Egypt.

With a trolley towing plant established on the banks of the Nile to draw dahabeahs to and fro, the modernization of Egypt may be considered as tolerably complete. The forty centuries which, as Napoleon told his soldiers, stood on the summit of the pyramid looking at them as they marched past are no doubt still there, keeping their long vigil, but whatever may have gone by beneath them they have never looked forth on an electric trolley and towing apparatus to multiply from ten to thirty times or more the flotillas and commerce of the Nile, exceeding all the efforts of Amenhotep or Psammenitus. The apparatus may not be so spectacular as the pyramids, but it promises to be much more useful to Egypt.

An Octopus Brake.

While steaming along off the coast of Mexico recently those who were on board of the Pacific Mail Steamship company's steamer Peru noticed that the vessel's progress was much slower than it should be. The chief engineer was informed, and he reported the engines were making the customary revolutions. An investigation was made, and across the bow of the steamer a manta, a species of octopus, was found clinging. A sailor was lowered over the side, and he attached sharp hooks to the monster, and, with the aid of the capstan, its hold was released. It suddenly started away, taking the hook and line with it.

Lord Rosebery's "Good Story."

In a recent English biography appears an anecdote told in the characteristic English manner. The writer remarks:

"Lord Rosebery told a very good story, for he is always amusing, about a gentleman who was traveling in the southern United States. The visitor was being shaved by a negro barber and noticed the extreme bluntness of the razor.

"'Yes, sir,' said the barber, 'it is vury blunt, sar. I was out last night wid the boys.'"

Dissolving Flowerpots.

Amateur gardeners may be interested to learn of a dissolving flowerpot to use for transplanting. According to the descriptions that have been given, this flowerpot can be transplanted with the cutting or seedling in it, and it will dissolve and become a fertilizer within thirty-six hours. The pot is made of a composition of garden soil and a small proportion of barnyard manure. It is claimed that it has no offensive odor when dry.

Berry Wall Blue.

Berry Wall, said to be the best dressed of New York men, returned from Europe the other day wearing a long tourist coat in which there was a peculiar underlying pattern of blue. He wore a serge suit, also blue—a dark blue. His shirt was a light cerulean hue—blue. So was his cravat—a darker hue, but blue. And in the middle of his cravat nestled a pin in which was a stone; the stone was a turquoise—blue.

A Mark Twain Story.

Mark Twain tells a story that while traveling in Germany a man sitting next to him at a dinner in a hotel ordered a bottle of Johannesburg wine. When it was brought he saw on the bottle a label of Moselle and called to it the attention of the manager, who exclaimed: "Ach, what a stupid donkey! I distinctly told him to put on the Johannesburg label."

A One Piece Dinner.

A remarkable dinner was served recently by a farmer near Ault, Colo. The table was set for twelve, and the menu consisted of one five and a half pound potato, one fifteen pound cabbage, one ten pound chicken, one six pound turnip, one two pound onion and three pies made from a one and one-half pound apple.

FOR THE LITTLE ONES.

Whistle Buff is a Merry Game to Play at a Party.

Whistle buff is a sort of modified blind man's buff, played, however, without a bandage over the eyes and without the romping element which sometimes makes the well known game objectionable. A small whistle is suspended from the coat collar or dress of one of the party by a piece of twine or thread about half a yard long, which hangs down between the shoulders. The "knight" or the "lady" of the whistle, as the case may be, then stands in the center or walks slowly round the circle of the company. Some one, watching an opportunity, seizes the whistle and blows it shrilly, when the knight immediately turns to detect the offender, and if he hits upon the right person the latter must take his place. As the player turns to find out one whistler another gives a blow, and thus the game proceeds merrily until some one less dexterous than the rest is caught.

Puzzling Figures and a Joke.

Put down the year you were born; add 4.

Then add your age at your next birthday, provided it comes before Jan. 1; otherwise your last birthday.

Multiply the result by 1,000.

From this subtract 694,423.

Substitute for the resulting figures the corresponding letters of the alphabet—A for 1, B for 2, C for 3, etc.

The result will give the name by which you are popularly known.

This trick is given to suit the year 1905.

For 1906 and for every year after that add an additional 1,000 to the amount to be subtracted—viz, for 1906 make it 695,423, and so on.

Try this trick and see how it works.

Stubborn Paper Wad.

Did you ever see a paper wad that is so stubborn that it will fly in the face of one who tries to compel it to go into the neck of a bottle? The more you try to blow it in the more it leaves the bottle.

You can try this with any large bottle and a paper wad or cork small enough to fit very loosely in its neck. Holding the bottle so that it points directly at your mouth and placing the cork in the neck, the harder you blow on the cork for the purpose of driving it into the bottle the more forcibly will the cork rush from its place in the neck.

Try this stunt and see if you can discover what causes the peculiar action of the paper wad.

The Dutch Wedding.

First the ones who are selected to be bride and groom sit down on the floor together, and then the groom chooses some girl to sit in front of him, and the bride chooses some boy to sit in front of her, and so on, the girl choosing a boy to sit in front of her and the boy choosing a girl until all the couples in the room are seated on the floor.

Then every couple has to do whatever the bride and groom do—for instance, if the groom makes faces at the bride or says anything to her, so must every couple do. It is bushels of fun if the bride and groom play their part well.

Cat and Mouse.

The children sit in two rows opposite each other, with a space between. One child takes the place of "cat," being blindfolded, and one takes the place of "mouse" and is also blindfolded, the cat standing at one end of the row and the mouse at the opposite end. They start in opposite directions, guiding themselves by the chairs, the cat trying to catch the mouse. When the mouse is caught it is made the cat, and one of the company takes the place of the mouse.

What Kittymouse Feared.

When Kittymouse went out to skip,
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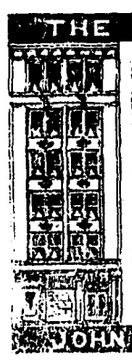

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MISSOURI is improving in its morals. A law has been enacted whereby it is a felony to forge bookmaking, pool, or selling them, or bet on horse races, and providing penalties of from six months to five years with fines.

ROBERT L. DEVLIN of Sacramento has been appointed United States District Attorney for the Northern District of California in place of Marshall B. Woodworth, the present incumbent.

INDIANA, as well as California, has had her legislative scandal. In the Hoosier State legislators sold out for a $100 apiece; in California the price paid was $350 apiece. After all our "erroneous" statesmen are not quite so measly a lot as they have in Indiana.

THE endowment of the Stanford University from the funds of the late U. S. Senator and Mrs. Stanford far exceeds the figures of any similar institution in the United States. The endowment now stands, in property and cash, at $38,000,000, and it is thought the amount will be increased several million dollars more from Mrs. Stanford's personal estate. The present productive funds of the University amount to $20,000,000. Harvard comes next in such resources with nearly $17,000,000, Columbia following with $15,347,000, Chicago $9,794,419, and Cornell $8,020,794.

THE inauguration of President Theodore Roosevelt on last Saturday at Washington was a scene never to be forgotten and not since the civil war has there been such a military pageant as the parade which followed the inaugural. It is said that acres and acres of packed humanity stood for hours watching the various phases of the day's events. Charles W. Fairbanks was first sworn in as Vice-President in the Senate chamber by President pro tem Frye. Then out on the east front of the capitol Chief Justice Fuller of the Supreme Court administered the oath of office to Theodore Roosevelt and he stooped and kissed the Bible.

ON Tuesday last the Kansas Senate adopted a resolution denouncing the report of Commissioner Garfield—son of the late President Garfield—in the beef investigation and requesting President Roosevelt to reject the report and appoint some other official with a little experience and knowledge for the task of investigating "this gang of highwaymen," known as the Beef Trust, to the end that the "public may be fully informed as to the sources of their enormous profits and the foundations of their colossal fortunes and the means, instruments and agreements by which for a generation they have robbed both the purchaser and the consumer, to the end that legislation protecting both may be intelligently devised, and that the light of publicity, that light that is destructive of all trusts and combinations, may be thrown upon the operations of this vicious and iniquitous conspiracy."

COMMENCING on the first day of next month there will be inaugurated in San Francisco one of the most novel exhibitions ever held in the west. The Pacific coast, and California in particular, has always been known as the sportsman's paradise. Nowhere in the wide world are so many natural advantages presented to the lovers of nature; nowhere can such a variety of sport be enjoyed under such pleasant conditions as on the Pacific slope. Under the mammoth roof of the Mechanics' Pavilion these advantages are to be set forth in all their glittering reality. The interior is to be decorated with monarchs transplanted from the forest, and a series of waterfalls into an immense pond at the end of the pavilion will produce a beautiful setting for the abundance of live animals, fish and birds which are being gathered from every corner of the coast. The exhibition will be instructive as well as beautiful to the eye.

ALL records in extravagance have been broken by the 58th Congress just closed. The total appropriations of the two sessions amount to $1,599,651,289. Even the 55th Congress, which provided funds for the Spanish-American war, did not spend so much by $31,000,000. Uncle Sam, it would seem, has become a confirmed spendthrift. It is fortunate there is an available cash balance in the treasury. Leaders admit that what Speaker Cannon calls the "gap between the trousers and the waistcoast"—that is, the expenditures above receipts—is more than $92,000,000. Even Representative Littlefield of Maine who has boldly criticised the extravagance, has prepared a statement comparing expenditures of the 58th Congress with those of the 55th or "war Congress." He estimates the deficit at $92,000,000. This is an acknowledgment from a Republican point of view. What it will be when thoroly probed by Democratic legislators, is only a matter of conjecture by the people.

WHILE standing on a prominent corner of the square a fews days since on the alert for items, we espied two conspicuous citizens of Ukiah discussing some of the leading issues now before the American people. It was socialistic labor on one side and plutocratic on the other. The first speaker contended, that every economic and social problem now before the people of this country is directly or indirectly related either to the production or the distribution of wealth, or to both. He maintained that the distribution of wealth is, primarily, dependent upon the production thereof, and all wealth is produced by labor applied to land, it follows that the land question and the labor problem are the two fundamental issues to be settled, before there can be any material advance of civilization along either economical or social lines. Land, he said, is the source of material life, and labor the material manipulation of spiritual life, and the two are as indissolubly linked together as the soul and body of man. This flow of oratory seemed a clincher to the other fellow, when of a sudden his countenance brightened up, remarked that Dr. Osler had declared that when a man had reached the age of 40 years he is at the limit of his powers; that at 50 he is worthless, and when he reaches 60 he should be chloroformed. Grand, full fill the injunction!

AN ATTEMPT TO MISREPRESENT

Wilful Maliciousness of the Times Exposed. Rhodes Can Now Sleep in Peace

SACRAMENTO, Cal.,
March 8, 1905.

My attention has been called to an attempted misrepresentation, in a recent issue of The Times, of my position on a matter that that little thumb paper imagines might reach the Senate, and the freak editor of said little sheet works himself into a frenzy and pictures a battle royal in Sacramento over the Mendocino-Glenn county boundary question. The article would be really amusing, if its maliciousness were not so apparent. There has been no disturbance here. The only fight we have heard of has been in the Times office where its editor has been engaged in a life and death struggle to keep what few subscribers he has from stopping the little paper.

The Mendocino-Glenn county boundary question came up two years ago. The Glenn county Supervisors went all the way to Ukiah to see if an agreement could be reached. The Supervisors of the two counties failed to agree, so I killed the bill with just one word. The Assemblyman from Glenn county put the bill in again this session hoping that an agreement had been reached, and the Supervisors of that county came down, in a gentlemanly way, to see if an amicable adjustment could be effected. The disputed territory being in Mr. Fairbanks' district, he was sent for, and several friendly conferences were held, after which he returned to Ukiah to report to his colleagues. Here the matter rests. The Glenn county Supervisors were not "schemers," but honest taxpayers whose only desire was to settle a disputed boundary. In justice to the taxpayers in the disputed territory the boundary line should be definitely settled so that they would not have to pay taxes in both counties.

Its true I represent both counties and I am trying to do it in an honorable and gentlemanly way. I told the Glenn county people that I would not allow Glenn to rob Mendocino, nor would I allow Mendocino to rob Glenn—that if an agreement could not be reached that I would kill the bill, as I did two years ago, in a word. They said they appreciated my position and said they didn't blame me for taking that position. In the meantime I told Mr. Held not to allow the bill to pass the Assembly, if not satisfactory to Mr. Fairbanks, but that if it should slide thru he need not worry, as I could kill it in the Senate with a single word as I had done two years ago. So this is the tempest that Mr. Rhodes stirred up in the "hell box" in the back end of his "print shop."

The evident object of the article was to excuse Mr. Held if the bill passed the Assembly and at the same time censure me, beforehand, for what the editor imagined might possibly happen in the Senate.

Mr. Rhodes can now allay his fears and put the air brakes on his lurid imagination. I am sure Mr. Held has experienced no such "fears" as was expressed by the Times. No one in Sacramento has. Mr. Held is attending to his duties industriously and needs no encomium from the little Ukiah editor to spur him on to do what he thinks is right. He and I have worked in absolute harmony on all legislative matters affecting Mendocino county. He works "single-handed" in the Assembly and I do the same in the Senate. We have to do this as neither can vote or speak in the other house.

Mr. Rhodes has "passed the buck" up to me editorially and advised me how to attend to my business. I have attended to my business so far in my own way and have had at least moderate success, and feel that I can meet any contingency that might arise. I will continue in the same way as I do not think it advisable to take the advice of one who never saw the inside of a legislative chamber and who has proven himself a successful failure in everything he ever attempted. He will sleep better, however, if he will tell the truth, not talk about his neighbors and attend to his own business, if he has any, by this time, to attend to.

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Board of Supervisors

The Board of Supervisors met Monday with a full attendance.

The usual bills have been allowed and other routine business transacted.

W. W. Moore's application for a retail liquor license was rejected.

Two new school districts were formed—Alpine out of Riverside district and Happy Hollow, east of Round valley,

The petition for a new district to be known as Brush Creek district, out of Manchester, was rejected, as was also the petition to form Fish Rock out of Salt Rock district.

The petition for a change of boundaries between Spring Grove, Kerns and Laurel districts was laid over until April 4th.

M. L. Gibson and L. Barnard were appointed a committee to investigate the matter of expectorating in or on and otherwise littering up the county buildings and grounds.

E. R. Clark was appointed Pound Master of River Pound district.

The report of the Point Arena Wharf Co. was accepted.

The petition to change the boundaries between the 2nd and 3rd road districts was laid over until the next meeting.

The applications for aid of half orphans allowed as follows: Rosie Lenhart four half orphans, $5; Geo Gibson one half orphan, $6.25.

The application of Peter Chahon for a retail liquor license was laid over.

The petition of A. B. Gibson to maintain a gate across a lane in the 2nd road district was rejected.

The petition for a private wagon road in the 3rd road district was laid over.

In the matter of the formation of a new school district, to be known as Happy Hollow school district, to be created from the territory now included in Lone Clike and Eel river school districts, was established.

Dr. G. W. Stout's claim for three years salary as county health officer—$300 allowed.

Application for support of the Vallire children rejected.

The Albion and Comptche road matter laid over until April session.

Ordered that the Clerk notify the proper official of the county farm to furnish the Board at the April meeting with a full statement of the financial condition of the inmates and relatives of the inmates from the commencement of the administration of F. H. Brown, steward of said institution, up to the present time.

It appearing to the Board that action was taken upon the petition for a change of boundaries of Noyo and Fort Bragg school districts before the protest against said change of boundaries was filed, the action of the Board on the matter was reconsidered. After a careful consideration of both petitions and protest the Board granted the petition as heretofore granted.

In the matter of the petition and report of viewers for a highway in the 5th district near Point Arena. It appearing to the Board that that part of the proposed road described in the petition and the report of the viewers as sections 1 and 2 of said road, is already a public highway and has been such for several years past; that said road has been traveled by the public uninterruptedly for a period of more than 20 years and as such has become a public highway; it is therefore ordered that said petition and said report of said viewers and the whole matter be dismissed.

In the matter of a petition to remove J. R. Banks as Horticultural Commissioner of Mendocino county—after a full hearing of the matter said J. R. Banks was dismissed without prejudice. It was further ordered and carried that the whole Board of Horticultural Commissioners be declared dismissed and the office of each one under appointment of the Board be declared vacant

The school property of the Mineral Springs school district, which has been lapsed for some time, has been ordered sold.

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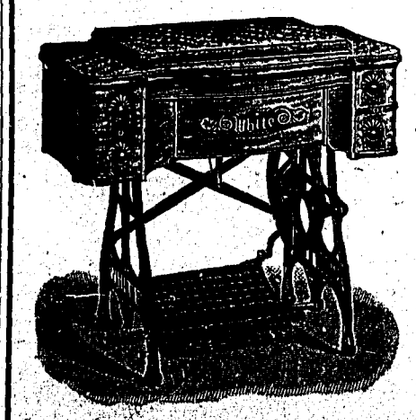

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